

# Bruce Catton Says:

New Dealers Lack Grip on House Rules Committee—  
And They Need Just That to Hold Congress

WASHINGTON.—To understand the reason for much of the grief the New Deal has run into in Congress this summer it is necessary to know something about the strategic spot which the House Rules Committee occupies.

## Refunding Bill Is Passed by Senate by Vote 24 to 11

Senator Pilkinton, Hope,  
Votes for 140-Million-  
Dollar Bill

### TEXARKANA ATTACK

Senator Willis B. Smith  
Says Bill Is Revamped  
Amendment 28

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—The house made rapid progress Wednesday toward a final vote Thursday on the 140-million-dollar highway bond refunding program by concurring in the first three of 16 amendments attached to the measure in the senate.

The first amendment provided that highway revenues be used solely for lawful purposes.

The second provided that future assemblies should appropriate \$150,000,000 for bridge improvement and \$140,000,000 for farm-to-market roads annually.

Administration leaders predicted action on the amendments would be completed late in the day, with the bill going to the engrossing committee preparatory to a final vote Thursday morning.

### Bill Passes Senate

LITTLE ROCK.—The state senate passed Governor Bailey's \$140,000,000 highway bond refunding bill Tuesday night, 24 to 11.

The emergency clause was attached by the same vote.

The vote on the measure, which was passed by the house July 24, came at 10:30 p. m., at the close of six hours of debate.

### A Senate Threat

Senator Luke Arnett of Paris, who said he had fought the bill "all through the legislature," warned in the final speech of the night session:

"I will go beyond this senate hall to continue the fight."

Senator Arnett did not explain his threat.

Senator Pilkinton, Hope, voted for the bill.

### Texarkanian Apposes It

Revealing his stand on the refunding bill for the first time of the session, Senator Willis B. Smith of Texarkana opened debate against the bill Tuesday night.

"This bill is granddaddy, granddaddy, sister and brother to proposed Amendment No. 28, which the people so overwhelmingly defeated at the last election," he asserted. "It brings into the refunding program \$140,000,000 of road district bonded debt annually and \$150,000,000 of bridge district bonded debt annually. It brings the road district debt ahead of maintenance funds—before of everything except service, and it brings the bridge district debt ahead of new construction funds. These improvement district obligations of the state of Arkansas, yet they are placed in this bill ahead of funds for road maintenance and ahead of funds for new construction."

He said appropriation of funds for new construction was the "one virtue" of the refunding bill, but too many obligations had been placed ahead of this appropriation. Declaring his belief the bonds should contain the callable privilege, he said:

"When you pass this bill and issue non-callable bonds, you've sold us down the river."

### Roosevelt Signs Hatch Purge Bill

But He Directs Note to Congress, Charging "Misrepresentation"

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—President Roosevelt signed into law Wednesday the Hatch bill regulating the political activity of most federal employees, but he told congressmen emphatically that the American people would not stand for its enforcement as a "gag act."

"The president said he was taking the unusual action of sending a message to congress explaining his position because there have been 'so many misrepresentations' of his attitude."

He recommended the congress study at its next session an extension of the measure to cover state and local government employees "who participate actively in federal elections."

### A Thought

The deeds of charity we have done shall stay with us forever. Only the wealth we have hoarded and do not use, the other is not ours.—Midleton.

### CRANIUM CRACKERS

In and Out Letters

Subtract the 25th letter from a numeral and get a measure.

Now replace the 18th letter and "C" with the 5th letter and "K" to get a vibration.

Put one of the letters which you took out back again and you have a number of a sect.

What is the member? And how did you get the word?

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## Britain Braces Up Her Navy for War

Italy Reviews Huge Military Machine in Summer Maneuvers

By the Associated Press

Great Britain, piling up war resources against any emergency, turned her efforts Wednesday toward guarding her navy as Italy put its powerful land defenses to a test.

The financial secretary of the admiralty, Geoffrey Shakespeare, told the House of Commons that Britain would add 180 vessels mostly smaller craft, to her 1933 construction program.

The "Red Forests," advancing from France's direction, were repulsed by Italy's army of the Po in big military maneuvers.

In Tokyo, the U. S. charged affairs, Eugene H. Dorman, was said to have protested to the Japanese foreign office that Japan's anti-British drive in China was becoming a general anti-foreign campaign.

### Truckers to Face Charges by U. S.

One Arkansas and Three Missouri Firms Accused of Pool

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—U. S. District Attorney Sam Rorex and the ICC filed criminal charges Wednesday in federal court here against one Arkansas and three Missouri truck lines accused of pooling their operations under the name "Local Trade Systems."

A total of 56 violations of 1935 motor carrier act was charged against the Bryant Truck Lines Inc., of Arkansas; the F. & F. Transportation Co., Inc., Bryant Truck Lines, Inc. and the Silver Fleet of Missouri, Inc. all of St. Louis, Mo.

# Hope Star

Arkansas—Cloudy Wednesday night and Thursday; local thundershowers and cooler in northwest portion Thursday.

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# ARSON CASE TO JURY

## 30 Years in the Sky: How the Army's Wings Grew From One Plane to a Squadron of 5,500 Fighters

Flying Range of  
125 Miles Today  
Is 4,000 or More

Continued Research Has  
Developed Weapons of  
Army Air Corps

PRIMITIVE IN 1916

In Mexican Campaign U.S.  
Planes Couldn't Cross  
Mountains

(First of two stories.)

By HARRY D. WOODRING

U. S. Secretary of War

(Written for NEA Service, Inc.)

WASHINGTON.—At a time when military aviation is making such rapid strides, we are prone to forget how much can be learned from the past, from the 30 years of development in which the army has had such an important share.

It is just 30 years ago, on Aug. 2, 1909, that the army bought its first airplane. The progress of those years is well shown by recalling the specifications for that first ship which the Wright brothers delivered to the aeronautical division of the signal corps. It was to fly 36 miles an hour, remain in the air for an hour with two occupants, and have a range of over 125 miles. It was to be so built as to lend itself to transportation in an army wagon. The craft weighed about 800 pounds.

The speed of over 350 miles per hour and the cruising range of close to 4,000 miles which have been attained by many of our planes of today mark the result of 30 years' unremitting effort on the part of the army and of the aeronautical industry, and together

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Thirty years of army airforce expansion is typified in the composite picture, above, with the 1909 Wright brothers' plane, the first army air corps flying machine "flying" above the latest and modern "flying fortress."

## House Committee Continues Slashes

WPA Dropping 11,000  
Administrative Employees  
—100 in Arkansas

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The house appropriations committee with a final session-end economy appeal trimmed the administration's last bill Wednesday from \$215,891,168 to \$53,190,055.

Commenting on its recommendations, the committee said it was "faced with a record for the session thus far of appropriations greatly exceeding in the aggregate the sum total of budget estimates," and it felt "constrained"

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## AAA Office Moved From City Hall to Elks Bldg.

The Hempstead county AAA offices have been moved from Hope city hall to the first floor of the Elks building, also owned by the City of Hope and formerly occupied by the WPA.

### Death Shared His Holiday

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—Alexander Mullo, 63-year-old Turk, traveled 12,000 miles from Johannesburg, South Africa, to make a surprise visit to his brother, Mayer, whom he had not seen for 36 years. Police located the address for him. Bu (when he knocked on the door only his sister-in-law and two nephews, none of whom he had ever seen before, answered. Mayer Mullo died a year ago.

### Expect Vast Crowd

VAN BUREN, Ark.—The entire populace of Van Buren has joined hands with the citizens of their neighboring city of Fort Smith in gigantic preparation for the reception and entertainment of an expected 100,000 visitors next Monday.

On that date Bob Burns will return to his native city to attend in person the world premier of his latest Paramount picture, "Our Leading Citizen." Accompanying Burns for his homecoming will be Joseph Allen and Susan Hayward who are featured in "Our Leading Citizen" with the Arkansas star.

Plans for the most pretentious premier of a motion picture ever held in the Southwest include a gigantic all-day picnic sponsored by the American Legion posts of both Van Buren and Fort Smith. The picnic will feature, in addition to the personal appearance there of Bob Burns such attractions as a championship rule race, horse shoe pitching contests, old time fiddlers contest, marksmanship exhibitions, square dancing, a genuine old style barbecue and many other entertainments.

### He's the Author of "Steamboat 'Round the Bend"

By PAUL ROSS

NEA Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK.—On a sun-drenched wharf along the Mississippi River a group of negro roustabouts are loading, waiting for a boat that's due. A white man—small and olive-skinned—sits among them, passes around a bag of gum drops, discusses tautology of the soul.

"If you boys came back after you died, would you like to be?" he asks.

One weathered old man says, "I'd like to be a peacock." Another, an emaciated-looking fellow, sighs and answers, "Me, I'd like to be a millionaire."

The white man doesn't laugh. He listens seriously, makes mental notes. Later they will appear in print. He is an author, you see, he is gathering material from the semi-nomadic, colorful, superstitious riverfolk about whom he writes.

His names is Ben Burman.

Name Stands for "The River"

Like thousands of other Americans, you probably know the name of Ben Burman. You know it as that of the author of "Steamboat 'Round the Bend," which brought such acclaim to Will Rogers when it was made into a movie. You know it because it letters with "the river."

People call Ben Burman the second Mark Twain. Recently, a committee of important Southerners called his new book, "How for a Landing," the "most distinguished Southern novel published during 1938." In awarding "How for a Landing" a prize over such volumes as the Pulitzer novel "The Yearling," and "A Southerner Discovers the South."

Ben Burman wasn't always "the second Mark Twain." Nor were editors always interested in "the river." How those things came about is the story of a hard struggle and of faith.

Interested Editors

Born at Covington, Ky., in 1896, Ben Burman early took the magic, the romance and the beauty of "the river"

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## Dr. Lile Is Elected as Leading Citizen

Will Go to Van Buren  
August 7 for Arkansas  
Party for Bob Burns

Dr. L. M. Lile has been elected Hope's Leading Citizen by votes cast by the people of Hope. The votes were counted Tuesday night by: M. M. Smyth, Thompson Evans and Tom Wardlaw. The two other nominees were: John P. Cox and Roy Anderson.

Dr. Lile will be given a free trip to Fort Smith and Van Buren to be the guest of Bob Burns and the east of the picture "Our Leading Citizen" at the world premier showing Monday August 7.

### Legion to Install Officers Thursday

To Report Also on the Progress of Proposed Legion Building

The American Legion will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday, August 3, at 8 p. m. at the City Hall. Post Commander C. E. Weaver will preside.

The new post officers for the incoming year will be installed at this meeting.

Final reports of financial condition and activities of the post for the past year will be given. The progress of construction on the new Legion building will be given by Chairman T. S. Cornelius.

The Legion has had a successful year, legionnaires, presence is desired toward making the coming year even more successful, so be present at this meeting.

### Bruner-Ivory Is Winner Over East

Defeat Texarkanians 9-2--  
Robins Loses to East  
by 14 to 2

Results Tuesday Night

Bruner Ivory "A" team 9.  
East Federal of Texarkana 2.  
Bruner, Taylor and Russell  
East—Hose and Cox.

Bruner scored one run in the first inning one in the third, six in the fifth.

The game was close until the last of the fifth. Mattison, Bruner third baseman had a perfect night at bat getting 3 for 3. Taylor kept East well under control until the last of seventh when they scored two runs.

Robins contributed also in the hitting column getting two hits and a walk, one hit a home run. Elliot with a perfect throw to the plate from short field cut off one Texarkana run, and Russell.

The Bruner team buried Leo Robins in short order scoring 8 runs before the side was retired. Powers led off the bottom for East with 3 for 3. Second East players connected safely 2 times. Cox hit a home run Fontana with 2 for 2 led the Robins team.

### Defeat of Lending Bill Stings F. D.

President Assents Defeat Will Rob Industry of Much Business

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—In a swift, unexpected debacle, the Roosevelt lending bill was killed in the house Tuesday; whereupon the president struck back with a declaration that the action was a blow to industry, the unemployed and the taxpayers.

After witnessing the dramatic display of insurgency Representative Raymond of Texas, the administration leader, indicated that the other major money bill on the administration program—the \$800,000,000 housing bill—was as good as dead.

While legislators prepared to adjourn congress by Saturday night, President Roosevelt received reports in a calm tone, he said that while he was not criticizing the legislators for something they had a perfect right to do, those who would be adversely affected had a right to know where the responsibility lay and the names of those who voted against House legislation.

A large number of industries would

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First of the defense witnesses was Ann Floyd, waitress at a cafe near Arkadelphia. She testified Bearden ate there March 22 and she smelled no kerosene on him.

Freeman Griffin, filling station at Bearden stopped at his place of business, and there was no kerosene on his clothes.

Dave Malcolm, Garden fireman, testified to putting 48 gallons of chemicals on the car to extinguish the fire, and that he was close to Bearden, but found no evidence of kerosene. Malcolm also said he saw a black mark on Bearden's hand when the former deputy said he was burned in trying to loosen some wires in the flaming car.

Rufus Clark, another filling station man at Garden, said he drove Bearden back to Hope after the fire, and there was no kerosene on him.

Leo Robins, Hope liquor and beverage store proprietor, testified that last New Year's he and a party of Hope men drove to New Orleans for the Sugar Bowl football game. On the trip the car's cigar-lighter short-circuited and would have set fire to the machine but for prompt action, he said.

Reginald Bearden, on the stand in his own defense, denied burning the car. He said the fire was caused by a short-circuit.

Talbot Feldt and R. H. Tunstall, of Hope, appeared as character witnesses for Bearden.

### Grady to Succeed Sayre in U. S. Post

Appointed to Administer Reciprocal Trade Agreements of U. S.

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Henry F. Grady, former dean of the College of Commerce, University of California, was nominated Wednesday by the president to be Assistant Secretary of State in charge of the reciprocal trade agreements section.

He succeeds Francis B. Sayre, recently named Philippines High Commissioner.

### Cotton

NEW ORLEANS.—(AP)—October cotton futures closed Wednesday at 9 1/2 and closed at 9 1/2.

Spot cotton closed quiet 19 points down, middling 9 1/2.

### For These Hot, Tired, Sultry, Scorching Nights

INDIANAPOLIS.—(AP)—To help people cool off, Indianapolis street cars and buses give customers a five-hour ride any hour for 10 cents.

Special tickets at that price are good for as many round trips, up to 10, as a person can crowd into the hours between 7 o'clock and midnight.

A French inventor, Ponceles Bussier, perfected a storage battery in which iodine is the active material.

The United States government adopted nickel steel for armor plates as a result of competitive tests at Annapolis in 1890.



## Nudist Convention Due August 12-14

Retired Manufacturer-  
Minister Heads National  
Association

BY SAM JACKSON  
AP Service Writer  
SOQUEL, Calif. There is only one thing about the convention to be held here August 12-14 that would strike you as odd—nobody will be wearing clothes.

It will be a meeting of the American Sunbathing Association, which has for its object the fostering of that "commonplace, normal and delightful way of living—social nudism."

**Shoes and Hats**  
No clothing will not be strictly true, however. Most nudists still have their shoes; it's the rare one whose feet are tough enough to travel barefoot. And the women make a concession to the world of normalcy: When the sun is very high they guard their facials by wearing big straw hats.

A special feature of this convention will be an exhibition of members' hobbies: photographs, movies, paintings, pottery, wrought iron and such collectors items as cactuses and coins. "It seems natural that nudism and other interests should go together," said the exhibit's chairman. "Those who step forth without clothes gain a spiritual freedom from self gratification by means of money display such as in clothes and automobiles."

"This fits in naturally with creative forms of self expression."

**By the Hundreds**  
Nearly all of the 40 camps in many parts of the United States, which are members of the association, will be represented. Officers say attendance will run into hundreds, but will not reach a thousand.

Presiding will be portly Louis P. Clark, successful manufacturer, ordained minister, and now in his retired life, the head of American nud-

## First Round Ends, Bridges Laughs



Prosecution moves into second round at San Francisco deportation hearing against him—but Harry Bridges, west coast labor leader, smiles confidently. Attack, which first attempted to prove Bridges a Communist, now tries to show that Communist party seeks to overthrow government.

Host camp is the Sun Tanners, a thriving organization serving the San Francisco bay area. It has a large heavily wooded acreage at the end of a road in the Santa Cruz mountains, with large dining and social halls, a swimming pool, tennis and badminton courts and many cabins. James F. Carl is manager.

All persons in the camp are addressed by their first names, but this does not imply familiarity. The rule is intended merely to protect any one who may prefer not to link nudism and his full name.

Actually, officers say, very few of the members are touchy on the subject.

**Pile-Up**  
ALLIANCE, Neb.—(AP)—A mild hailstorm brought disaster to Perry Odell's turkey flock. He said 300 young turkeys became frightened by the hail, piled up in a heap and smothered to death.

## Turned the Budget Upside Down

TULSA, Okla.—(AP)—The figure "9" turned upside down may have cost Tulsa county several hundred thousands of dollars in state gasoline and automobile taxes, says County Engineer Dan W. Patton.

The taxes are apportioned to counties on a road mileage basis. Tulsa county, says he, has 911 miles. Imagine his surprise when W. F. Loring, Tulsa county state representative, told him the county was getting its share of state money on the basis of 11 miles. "It would appear," moaned Patton, "that somewhere along the line the figure '9' became transposed and was recorded as a '6'." I have no idea how long this has been going on.

He asked the state for a disbursement statement, hoping to get a substantial refund.

## Blevins

Mrs. Ruby Dunn, Mrs. Eunice Stephens and Miss Wanda Stephens all of Tucson, Arizona, are guests of relatives and friends of Blevins.

Robert Yates, of Phoenix, Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Campbell of Hope were this week guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yates.

Miss Dorothy Bearden of Chandler, Arizona, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Troy Erwin this week.

Mrs. Beulah Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas spent Monday and Tuesday in Bonneville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brooks, Mrs. Louise Brook and Mr. Howard Smith spent Sunday in Prescott visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wilson.

Mrs. Wells Hamby of Prescott was the Friday guest of her mother, Mrs. Warren Nesbitt.

Mrs. Ella Peyton of Hope spent last week in Blevins visiting relatives and friends.

Sanford Bonds, Edgar Bonds and Aubrey Bonds spent Tuesday in Garland City and Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Ritchie and daughter, Jannet of Strong, Mrs. Earl Beck and daughters of Snackover were the week end guests of relatives in Blevins.

Mr. Horace Hone of Irma, La., is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Huskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brooks and children of Tucson, Ariz., left for their home Tuesday after spending a month visiting relatives near Blevins.

Mrs. Will Arnold of DeAnn, Mrs. William A. Cummings and daughter, Carolyn, of Elmer, New Mexico and Miss Louise Cummings of Prescott were the Thursday guests of Mrs. Will Cummings.

Mrs. Calvin Hone and sons were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Lively in McCaskill.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Brooks and children, Mr. Alford Brooks, spent Tuesday in Shreveport, La.

Mrs. A. E. Osborn of Hope spent last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Bonds.

Miss Evelyn Chambliss returned on Monday for a visit in label, Okla., with Mrs. Lula Alsbrooks.

Mrs. J. C. White left Saturday for home in Tucson, Arizona after a visit of a month with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Berta Martin and children of Hollywood, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. R. Mackannally and children of Tucson, Arizona, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bonds.

Miss Helen Wade of Wichita Falls, Texas is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wade.

A meeting will begin Friday night, Aug. 4 at the Bell's Chapel Nazarene church, Rev. Trumann White of Ardmore, Okla. doing the preaching. The public is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wade and little daughter returned home Sunday from a week's vacation in eastern Arkansas and Mississippi.

Mrs. Kenneth O. Kelton of Tucson, Arizona, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown.

## Makes No Difference

DETROIT—After throwing a home run ball to Roberto Estabrida of Washington that cost Detroit a game, Buck Newsum roared in the press that he should have thrown a curve.

"But that wasn't news to me," remarked the big right-hander. "I knew that as soon as Estabrida hit."

"How do you know he wouldn't have hit the curve farther?" asked Harry Heilmann, the old American League batting champion, recalling how Heilmann's own career was ended by a fast ball that beat the Texas and George Davis explained that it was the last back he ever threw.

"The moral," philosophized Heilmann, "is that you never can tell, and it doesn't make much difference whether it was a fast one or a curve after the ball has landed in the bleachers."

## ● SERIAL STORY WAR AND A WOMAN BY BETTY WALLACE COPYRIGHT, 1939, NEA SERVICE, INC.

Yesterday, At the field Matela leaves to talk to Bill Brooks, a cadet. When Jimmy asks, "Was I wrong, last night, or did you feel it too?" Linda tells him she is leaving for home, at once, March returns.

### CHAPTER V

"MARCIA!" Linda cried warningly. In the one word was contained an urgent pleading. Jimmy must not know how she felt about this naval air base, about the planes, about war. What difference did it make—why drag that in to torture and torment him? There was enough keeping them apart without that.

"But if Jimmy knew the real reason why you want to go home—"

"Marcia!"

"But darn it, it's so silly, when you get right down to it! It's making a mountain out of a mole hill!"

It would be a mountain, high and impenetrable, if Jimmy ever knew it. Linda thought unhappily. Their fight was hard enough already. Because they were both honorable people, they were trying to reason away the mysterious attraction which was catapulting them toward each other. But even if there hadn't been Marcia King, for Jimmy—and if there weren't George Cameron, in Queensville, for Linda—this thing alone would have split them apart.

Jimmy Cooper was standing, straight and still, the sunlight on his rumpled towny hair and his eyes on Linda's face. "If it's something you don't want me to know, of course Marcia mustn't tell me," he said tonelessly.

"All right, all right," Marcia moved impatiently. "But she's not going home! She came down here to be maid of honor at our wedding, and she's not going to wiggle out of it!"

Linda wanted to cry out that she dared not stay. She wanted to say, "Marcia, you fool! If I remain here maybe there won't be a wedding! How can you be so blind? Can't you see what's going on? Can't you?"

But Marcia was sunny and assured again. Her arm slipped inside of Linda's. "I'm a rotten hostess, that's what it is. I ran off and left you to listen to Bill Brooks' tale of woe. I'm going to take good care of you from now on and give you a real whirl. You'll forget all about—all about everything else."

They cut the sight-seeing short. To Linda's relief, Jimmy stayed on the field and Marcia drove the car home. Nothing had been solved. Somehow she'd have to get through the two weeks ahead.

Suddenly she wanted, more than anything else, to see George Cameron again. If he was here, close beside her, she'd snap back into her senses. Everything would become serene and normal again. On an impulse, after lunch, she went to her room and wrote him a note.

"Dear George—Please come down here right away. I am missing you dreadfully! George, just for two weeks, can't you look up the laboratory to live with me? I need you. Love, Linda."

It might not have been so bad, if, in the days that followed, Marcia had not innocently insisted on throwing Jimmy and Linda together so much. But she wanted her friend to have a gay time, and she wanted Jimmy beside her, too. Linda was waiting for an answer from George. The third day after she had mailed the letter, it still hadn't come. She was tempted to telephone him. But he'd wonder what had happened, and so she kept herself from acting too panic-stricken.

That night—it was a Saturday—Marcia had arranged a party at the Officers' Club. Linda headed her telling Jimmy, "Don't forget to dance with Linda. You haven't danced with her once since she's been here."

Oh, the fool! The blind fool! A sub rose in Linda's throat. She stumbled blindly away. But the porch was no sanctuary either, because it was here that she had first looked up into Jimmy's eyes.

THE Officers' Club was not quite what she had expected. Men in uniform, girls in evening dress. But the tables were bare, and the decorations far simpler than those in the night spots at home. Everyone knew everyone else. There was much calling back and forth, much familiar banter and teasing laughter.

Linda was grateful for the lanky young lieutenant Marcia had roped in to escort her. His name was Peter. He, too, was a flight instructor at the field. And he was much taken with her combination of golden hair and golden eyes. "How come the Navy didn't discover you long ago?" he wanted to know. "I've never seen you before."

She told him about Queensville. "Aha, just a college widow," he said. "No, he wasn't brilliant. But he stuck close to her, and that was something. It protected her from looking at Jimmy Cooper too obviously. She played, too, that Peter's attentions would divert Marcia. "She'll see I'm no wall flower. She doesn't need to force Jimmy to dance with me."

But after she had danced several times with Peter, she saw Marcia nudging Jimmy. Linda grabbed her vanity case, she stood up. "Excuse me, I—"

That was only a respite. She might have known she couldn't escape forever. The moment she had headed came at last. Jimmy Cooper was bending over her. "May I have this dance?"

"I've fired," she whispered. He said quietly, "I won't bite you."

So she stood up and slipped into his arms, while Marcia regarded them both affectionately. His hand on her back was gentle, and he guided her surely and expertly. But she couldn't bear it any more. A soft sob broke from her. "Please, no more."

They were standing perfectly still while the music rose poignantly and unobtrusively. For a long moment, there was no one else in all the world but their two selves. "Shall we go out on the porch?" he was asking, his voice curiously hoarse.

THEY shouldn't go. Yet she was walking beside him like a girl in a trance.

"We shouldn't!—oh—we shouldn't!" she burst out.

"I know," he said miserably. "But, Linda—I've fought until I can't do it, even to myself, any more. I haven't slept. I look at Marcia, and she's still the same as she always was. She loves me. It's like a knife in my heart to know she trusts me. But I can't take her in my arms any more. I can't tell her I love her any more. The whole world has changed. There's nothing but you. I see your face up there in the clouds when I ought to be concentrating on the way my student is flying. I hear your voice everywhere. It's driving me crazy! We've got to do something."

He had no right to put it into words! While it had been only a mirage, beautiful and unreal, beckoning and yet threatening, she had still had the courage to run from it. But now these words of his made it solid, inescapable. "Listen!" she jerked out. "Even if there weren't Marcia—even if I weren't engaged myself—I couldn't take her in my arms any more. I can't tell her I love her any more. The whole world has changed. There's nothing but you. I see your face up there in the clouds when I ought to be concentrating on the way my student is flying. I hear your voice everywhere. It's driving me crazy! We've got to do something."

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## Babe Ruth's Record Safe as Hitters This Year Seem to Have Cooled Off

By The AP Feature Service  
BOSTON — The home run hitters have cooled off this season and baseball men can't explain why.

A year ago Hank Greenberg of the Detroiters was banging the ball over fences at a disturbing clip and there was talk that George Herman Ruth's prodigious pecking record of 60 homers would be shattered.

Ruth's record came closer than any other has come in many a year, but he struck a famine stretch in the last fortnight of the campaign and wound up with 58 round-trippers.

Jimmy The Fox was also a slugger, the season, pressing closely on Ruth's shirt tails and over in the National League Ted Goodman was going strong.

But this year they've all cooled off. These slow pace isn't causing the Babe any worry as he slugs golf balls down the fairways and spends his evenings smoking stogies and clipping coupons.

As the major league race moved into the hot week of the July lap Fox was out front in the home run derby with 19. Greenberg was a belt behind. Ted Williams of the Red Sox had 16. And in the National League, Jimmy Mike of the Cardinals had 18 and M. L. Ott of the Giants 16.

At this rate the home run champions of the year won't have many more than 30. It is doubtful that any of them can break Babe's mark.

This time last year both Greenberg and Fox had around 30 four-basers. And Goodman boasted some 25.

Joe DiMaggio, who is hitting the ball for a bigger average than he has ever owned before, isn't hitting homers at anywhere near his usual pace.

No one can explain it. Maybe this just isn't a home-run year. Perhaps home run years run in cycles.

## ● HIGHLIGHTS FROM LATEST BOOKS

Alaska Warmer Than You Think

The spotlight is going to play more and more on Alaska for military and economic reasons. The projected visit of President Roosevelt turns attention to it, for one thing. So it is an exceedingly timely book that Merle Colby has written in "A Guide to Alaska" (Macmillan: \$3). It is also one of the most exhaustive, and entertaining books on the Territory.

profusely illustrated. Excerpted here are "Popular Errors About Alaska." "The farther north you go the colder it gets."

"The Arctic region is warmed by heat from the ocean radiated through floating ice. Thousands of square miles of Alaska lowland are colder than Point Barrow."

"Alaska is a frigid land of ice and snow."

This idea is on a par with the belief of early geographers that oceans boiled and rocks were red hot south of the temperate zone. At Fairbanks, some 120 miles south of the Arctic Circle, it is sometimes 100 degrees in the shade. The average snowfall in Arctic lowlands is less than the average in Virginia. Luxuriant vegetation and mildness of climate have caused several regions of Alaska to be facetiously referred to as the "banana belt."

Alaska is remote from civilization. Alaska's front door opens on the Polar sea, and its neighbors on this modern Mediterranean are Canada, U. S. S. R., Norway, Iceland, and Greenland. Alaska is about 18 hours' direct flying time from Yokohama or New York. Central Europe lies about

## "The Night Belongs to Sleep and Tomcats"

DENVER.—(AP)—"Every dog is entitled to his day and his bark but the night belongs to sleep and tomcats," said District Judge Floyd F. Miles recently in a decision. He told a dog owner he would have to lock his 15 pomeranians in a reasonably sound-proof place at night to keep them from barking and annoying guests at a nearby tourist camp.

a day and a half away via Yakutsk, Omsk, and Moscow.

"Gold mining is the principal industry of Alaska."

Fishing is the most important industry, exceeding in annual value of production both mining and fur-taking. Unlike the extraction of minerals, with proper care fishing can remain at the present high level of income forever.

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The men of earth build houses—halls and chambers, roofs and domes— But the women of the earth—God knows!—the women build the homes.

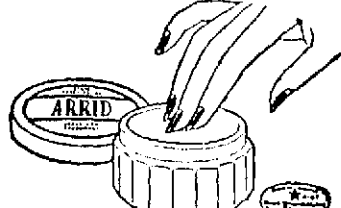
Ever could not stray from Paradise, for oh, no matter where Her gracious presence lit the way, lo! —Selected—

Misses Eunice Dale Baker, Caroline Robertson and P. B. Ward are attending the Band Encampment at Monticello this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Odell announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Simmons to Donald T. Reymerson. The marriage was solemnized Tuesday evening, August 1st at the First Christian Church parsonage, with

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In celebration of her sixth birthday anniversary, little Miss Arthurde Claiborne entertained a group of her young friends at the home of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Russell on South Main Street. Games were played on the lawn and beautiful birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream and cookies to sixteen little friends. Mrs. Claiborne was assisted in caring for the guests by Misses Mary Darnell Bearden and Phoebe Fuller.

The clerks of the George W. Robinson Company store of this city enjoyed a very delightful hot dog supper with cold drinks at the Fair Park Tuesday evening. Following the supper, games and conversation were the entertaining features. Mrs. Omie Blackwell of Oklahoma City was an out of town guest. Other invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Garner, Mrs. C. F. Bouton sr. Mrs. Sid Henry and Ed T. Wayte.

The Clara Lowthorpe chapter, C. of C. will meet at 2:30 Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Gladys Weisser on South Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward and Miss Lucy Haman have as house guests, Mrs. M. B. Haman and Daughter, Miss Mary Margaret of Shreveport and Miss Mary Brooks McGowan of Voshburg, Miss.

Mrs. Henry H. Sturat is having a vacation visit with relatives and friends in Sedalia, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Poe have as house guest, Miss Luella Hamilton of Waldron, Ark.

## Meet the Husband of Katherine Rawls

Facts About Little-Known Husbands of Well-Known Women

By LARRY RAWLINS  
FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla.—(AP)—It's quite all right with Theodore B. Thompson if his wife, the former Katherine Rawls, keeps on winning aquatic championships. And it's quite all right with him, too, if she doesn't. As a matter of fact, Katherine's interest in swimming is gradually being eclipsed by her enthusiasm for flying. And that's all right with Thompson. Flying is his business. At 27 he is manager of the municipal airport here, operates his own aviation school, and sells a plane now and then.

**Too Much Competition**  
Don't get the idea that Ted (that's what everybody calls this black-haired fellow with the friendly smile) isn't interested in Katherine's swimming. He is proud of her achievements.

"She has just about decided to give up competitive swimming after she defeats her four championships in the national outdoor meet this summer," he said. "She can't seem to find time to train properly, now that she likes flying so much. She lost in the national indoor championships because she wasn't in condition, but she has been training earnestly for the outdoor meet. I think she just wants to prove to herself, before she retires, that she can still swim with the best of the girls."

Katherine, however, won't desert the sport. She finished second in diving in the last two Olympics and wants another fling at an Olympics title.

**Narrow Squeaks**  
Ted usually manages to fly Katherine to swimming meets, and she frequently accompanies him on business flights.

They have had their close squeaks. Once, when Ted was flying her to the Pacific coast, the motor quit over a furrowed cornfield.

"Katherine was asleep," Ted said. "When I awakened her and told her to tighten her safety belt, she looked outside and said: 'My goodness! Was this the best field you could find?'"

The landing came off without mishap.

**Use To Run, Too**  
The Thompsons met at the Indianapolis Athletic club. Soon after, Ted came to visit his mother in Fort Lauderdale. He liked the place, conceived his plan for developing the airport, and opened his flying school.

Katherine took flying lessons from him, and before long they were married.

Thompson was born February 18, 1912, at Renfrow, Okla., the son of Dr. Harry J. Thompson. The family moved to Indianapolis when Ted was a boy.

He competed on the cross-country and track teams at Indiana University (an automobile accident ended his running days in 1932), and later attended Cornell. He became interested in flying at college, then worked with an aviation sales and financing firm before becoming an instructor.

"I used to swim quite a lot, too," he said, smiling, "but I don't have much time for it any more. I leave that to the other half of the family."

## The Canine "400" Doesn't Seem to Rate

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—People who keep dogs for the sheer love of them would just as soon have mongrels as canine kings.

That is the conclusion of health department officials who found from a dog census in a thickly-settled section of Miami that:

There were 426 nondescript curs. There were 285 fox terriers and 203 bulldogs.

Other breeds followed in this order: Spitz, German shepherds, pointers, chows, collies, airedales, setters and Pekingese.

Milton sometimes has had more than 300 words to a sentence in his writings.

## "Swell Head"



That inflated rubber bathing cap not only keeps pretty Helen Kelly's hair dry, but will hold her head above the water at Miami, Fla.

## Washington Daybook

By PRESTON GROVER

WASHINGTON — Anybody wishing to remain cool and collected this summer should harden himself to atrocity stories on the one hand and to war prosperity stories on the other. They have already begun to arrive.

A member of the French mission recently over here to inspect supply sources said his country intended to buy much steel and brass tubing partially shaped for shells and guns. That way, he said, they could be shipped without conflict with the munitions embargo act. The state department had to correct that story by pointing out that munitions could not be shipped out even in a semi-manufactured shape.

During the World War England had a careful organized propaganda department with a home division, an American division, an Asiatic division and all the rest. Germany had a similar organization, although the Germans had difficulty getting out

## We All Stay Home At Harvest Time

KEY WEST, Fla.—(AP)—When it's harvest time at home, the motorists stay at work.

When the work is done, the home-folks start on trips around the country. The overseas highway that links Key West with peninsular Florida proves it. Southerners just about disappeared from the highway during cotton-picking season. Then cars from Georgia and Alabama began pouring in. Harvest time in the Midwest cut down auto licenses from those states in the same way.

The cables.

Hugh Wilson, ambassador to Germany now biding his time in this country, helps sum up the situation in his book, "The Education of a Diplomat."

All the time that the British, French and Americans were being horrified by stories of the terrible Germans, who cut off the hands of little Belgian boys and boiled dead Allied soldiers to get the grease Germany was keeping up the morale of its own public with similar stories.

Tender German mothers with school-boys sons at the front were told that the boys from the wilds of Canada and Australia refused to take prisoners. They bayoneted or blew up all the Germans they could catch.

**Hawaii Complaints**  
But we must get on to pleasant subjects. John Snell, Secretary of the Hawaii Equal Rights Commission, writes from Honolulu that we were unfair in referring to Hawaii as an "Island possession" in recent epic from our typewriter. Hawaii, he said, is like Texas in that it came into the union voluntarily and was not snatched.

ed, as were the Philippines. That is all true enough. Hawaii is a piece of the United States historically, strategically and sentimentally.

**A Half-Cent Coin?**  
Moreover, we have meant for a long time to tell you about Jean M. Craik of Andover, Massachusetts, who writes in that she is more than a penny (tired of being bargained out of a penny or int on extra pound by those stores which advertise "two pounds for 17 cents." If you buy one pound, she says, you lose a half cent. If you buy two pounds, you have too much.

"The coin that ought to be minted now," she said, "is a half-cent piece. Then we wouldn't be swindled out of a whole penny by these ubiquitous stores that price everything so that if one doesn't buy two pounds or two dozen he always has to give them an extra half cent."

She concedes it seems sort of hopeless, because if you want to buy a 1½ cent stamp it costs two cents, and that puts the government in the business.

**Senatorial Scholarship**  
But for untouchable logic we refer you to Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the majority leader. He was defending the poet, Archibald McLeish, newly-appointed congressional librarian, from senatorial critics. A certain magazine article about which the senators were carping should not be counted, Senator Barkley said, for it was written several months before Mr.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to take this method of expressing our sincere appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown us during our recent bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.  
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## BARBS

Doug Corrigan was forced to give up the traditional leather jacket for a white suit at his wedding. First landmark on his latest wrong-way flight.

German war dead, buried in France, are being transferred to German soil. That's out of line for Herr Hitler. Usually, he just takes in the territory and saves the work.

Rome has asked Coney Island heads for information; Italy may build one of its own. That would give Mussolini another excuse for baring his chest.

The United States holds 58 per cent of the world's visible gold supply. Visiting.

McLeish knew he was to be librarian. "It came out in May," said Barkley. "and was undoubtedly written before May. Most articles in magazines are written in advance of their publication."

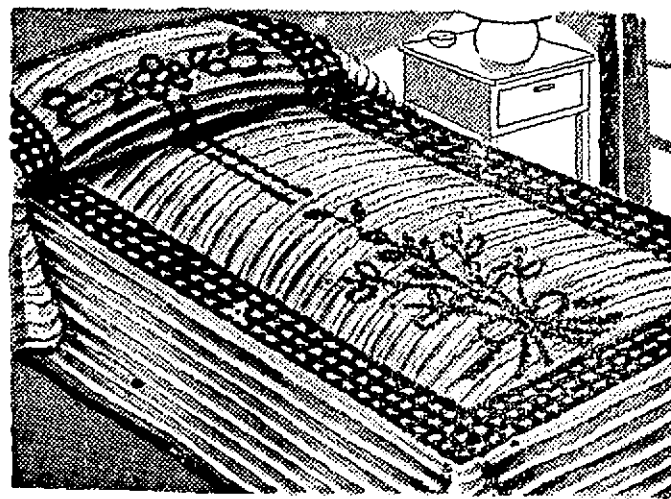
ible to whom?  
In England, says Joe Kennedy, ambassador to Britain, and makes good by what he "prevents" happening rather than causes to happen. Something like the heart of a business firm.

## HAY FEVER and ASTHMA

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## O Tempora, O Mores, Sighed Old Man Cicero

Marcus Tullius Cicero was not without his merits, but he was a good deal of a stuffed shirt even for the era in Rome of a century before Christ.

When he made his famous oration against Catiline, of cursed memory to generations of schoolboys, he was at his best as a public man, bravely scrapping for democracy against an amateur Hitler of the day.

But he couldn't resist deploring the times in general as well as going to the mat with Catiline, and his famous lament, "O tempora! O mores!" is remembered long after Catiline is forgotten. It means, roughly, "What an age! What a civilization!"

That has always been the cry of the elderly, before Cicero and since. Few people pass 60 (or even 40) without seeing the world as creaking down to Gehenna in a high-wheeled hansom-cab.

For see what goes on today. The Metropolitan Opera in New York may be sold down the river just like the widow's cottage in the melodrama, simply because there are no longer enough plush-lined patrons who can for will dig down for \$4000 a year for their box seats.

Street cleaners frolic in the gardens and drawing rooms of the Old Kahn estate, sold to the members of New York's Department of Sanitation employees. And the other residents of the exclusive suburbs thereabouts are petitioning for a tax levy on the estate, ordinarily tax-free now as a non-profit association.

Even the sacred groves of Newport are in danger of ringing with "Peace, brother!" and of being pervaded by the odor of fried chicken instead of smelling salts. Other Divine's followers are thinking of buying into what was once society's sanctum sanctorum.

In fact, we are informed by shocked and breathless writers on society that for the first time Newport has consented to admit an actor to its sacred precincts in the person of David Fairbanks, Jr. One would have thought that this "Trelawney of the Wells" attitude toward people of the stage had vanished with mustache cups and antimacassars, but apparently it is still an issue at Newport.

Well so what? Life is change, and those who are afraid of change are afraid of life.

The way to look at changes is not to recoil in horror and say "Isn't this awful?" It is to weigh what was, weigh what is, and watch which way the balance falls.

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1 A former great opera star.

13 Reach of sight.

14 Phantasms.

15 To trouble.

16 Genus of herbs.

17 Fortified work.

18 A pitch.

20 Plural pronoun.

21 Lotteries.

22 Birds' shelter.

23 Hawaiian bird.

24 A standard.

25 Stair.

30 To give credit to.

31 Eccentric wheel.

32 Coat of mail.

34 Mountain.

35 She was once a famed picture star.

37 Railroad.

39 Bang.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

1 ELEPHANT  
2 TRUNKS  
3 MORAL  
4 LEASE  
5 VANE  
6 AID  
7 COCOA  
8 AMA  
9 INN  
10 CENTURY  
11 BERT  
12 BUS  
13 PLY  
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25 RISER  
26 SLYE  
27 AR  
28 SEA  
29 ILE  
30 MOA  
31 ATLANTIC  
32 INTELLIGENT

**VERTICAL**

1 Pieces out.

2 To rot flax.

3 Those who analyze.

4 Fanciful music.

5 Part of Roman month.

6 To bow.

7 Measure.

8 You and me.

9 Flags.

10 Scab.

11 Stream.

12 Too.

13 Her most popular role.

14 Madame.

15 Acid.

16 Ready.

17 Criterion.

18 To card wool.

19 Obese.

20 Afternoon.

21 Ludicrous.

22 Hazy.

23 Disfigurement.

24 Grain.

25 Inlet.

26 Bulb flower.

27 Irish.

28 Elk.

29 Wickedness.

30 Dined.

31 Behold.

32 May.

33 Pair.

34 Jumbled type.

35 Measure.

36 You and me.

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Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

### Common Fear of Cancer of the Skin From Sunburn Has Little Basis

This is the season when many a person who has been accustomed to avoiding the sun as much as possible suddenly decides that sunburn is synonymous with health and exposure his entire body on the beach or in the fields with little or no protection. Years of experience have caused doctors to recognize that too much sunlight and too much burning of the skin may not be especially beneficial.

Occasionally, however, they become hardened like the hard skins of very old people. Occasionally (due to irritative or other factors) one of these spots may develop the characteristics of cancer. That fact has caused some alarm to people who have heard that exposure to sun may cause cancer.

There has been more sunbathing during the past 25 years than ever before. In addition to the ordinary sunbathing there has been a great deal of exposure to ultraviolet rays from artificial sources. Notwithstanding this increased exposure the figures for deaths from cancer of the skin at all ages below 45 for the last 25 years indicate about one death for every 1000,000 people in the group. The death rate among older people is slightly greater.

Moreover, the death rates from cancer of the skin have been steadily falling over a period of 25 years. The specialists in diseases of the skin account for the fall in the death rate by the fact that people have become educated to the danger of lesions of the skin that will not heal and that modern medicine has developed ways for taking care of these lesions, including surgical removal, the use of radium, the use of carbon dioxide snow or similar methods.

The best advice is that people who have a low tolerance in their skin for light and heat should not only avoid direct sunlight and artificially produced ultraviolet rays, but should avoid even diffuse sunlight and the reflected light from snow. Water and sand. Most people know very promptly whether or not their skins are sensitive to the sun. Such people can protect the skin by wearing veils, by using creams that will not permit the passage of the sun's rays, or by keeping themselves in the shade.

People with certain forms of skin disease must also avoid the sunlight because these skin diseases make those portions of the skin especially sensitive, and the change in coloration of the skin in the affected area may be permanent.

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## OUR BOARDING HOUSE . . . with . . . MAJOR HOOPLE

HITCH-HIKERS SURE ARE FAT AND SASSY THESE DAYS! IF I NEEDED BALLAST I MIGHT PICK UP THAT OLD SACK OF POTATOES!

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## OUT OUR WAY

YOU ABSOLUTELY CAN NOT QUIT YOUR JOB—I PROMISED THAT MAN YOU WOULD WORK THERE AND PITCH FOR THE TEAM! YOU CAN'T FOOL ME—YOU'VE JUST DIRTIED YOURSELF TO LOOK AS IF THEY HAD YOU ON A NASTY JOB!

OLD BEFORE MY TIME? HAH! ON MY BACK I HAVE KNIFE, DROOPY SHOULDERS, HOLLOW CHEEKS, THEY'RE MAKIN' A PITCHER OF ME—FER A OLD PEOPLE'S HOME!

By J. R. WILLIAMS

## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

"PUG?"

WHAT DOES THE STRANGER SAY NOW, HENRI?

## No Savvy

ALL I CAN MAKE OUT OF IT IS PUG!!! HE KEEPS ON SAYING JUST THAT

BUT WHAT KIND OF TALK WOULD THAT BE?

CRAZY TALK! IT DOES NOT MAKE SENSE

"PUG," HMPH

STRANGE INDEED! TWO WORDS COULD SCARCELY BE FARTHER APART THAN THAT OF LITTLE PUG TRAVELING WEST ON THE OLD GANTE TRAIN—AND THAT OF HER FATHER, MAROONED ON THIS DESOLATE ISLAND, OFF THE COAST OF BRITANNY

By EDGAR MARTIN

## ALLEY OOP

HE DISSOLVED RIGHT IN FRONT OF OUR EYES!!

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ADDED TO WHAT YOU HAVE SEEN, I'LL RELY IN HIS TESTIMONY TO SUBSTANTIATE MY CLAIMS FOR THE TIME-MACHINE

## Where Is Bronson?

WATCH THE DIAL—WHEN THIS POINTER REACHES ZERO, BRONSON WILL BE BACK HERE WITH US AGAIN!

By V. T. HAMLIN

## WASH TUBBS

COLLY SURPRISE. I HARDLY EXPECTED TO TRAIL VAN SCAMP AND SQUEEGE, BOTH, TO HIPPA-HULA.

I WISH TO LEAVE FOR HIPPA-HULA AT ONCE.

BUT I SAY, OLD CHAP, WE COULDN'T LAND UNTIL NEARLY MIDNIGHT!

## Ruby Considers Everything

AND THERE'S NO HARBOR, YOU KNOW. WE'VE GOT TO CONSIDER SAFETY.

I AM...

THAT'S WHY I WISH TO LAND AT NIGHT, UNOBSERVED.

By ROY CRANE

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

HEY, LARD, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

I'M FIXING UP A LITTLE BOUQUET FOR NUBBIN—I'LL TAKE HIM OUT OF CIRCULATION FOR AWHILE!

WHAT IS IT?

POISON IVY!

## Victim of His Own Plot

YOU SAY—YOU'LL GET IT ALL OVER YOU!

I TOOK ALL THAT CONSIDERATION—I PICKED IT FAST!

PUT THE TUBE IN HIS MOUTH, FRECK, AND GIVE HIM THIS ORANGE JUICE!

I CAN'T EVEN FIND HIS MOUTH—HE SMILES AND GIVES ME A CLUE!

By MERRILL BLOSSER

## RED RYDER

UNDER THIS JOSHUA TREE WILL BE A GOOD PLACE TO HIDE MY COWBOY CLOTHES AND CHANGE TO A MEXICAN OUTFIT!

DON'T WANT ANYONE TO RECOGNIZE US, THUNDER, WHEN WE HOLD UP THAT LA BOCA STAGE AT DAYBREAK!

## A Desperate Scheme

EASY, OL' BOY! I'M STILL YOUR PAL RED RYDER, AND NOW WE'RE GOIN' TO GO THAT SQUAWK BEFORE 'AQUO JOE DOES!

A GALLOPE, THUNDER!

By FRED HARMAN



## Cradle Rocked by Mechanical Hand

Rubber-Band and Electric Heater Prove to Be Labor-Saver

BY HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE  
Associated Press Science Editor  
WASHINGTON—A rubber band and an electric heater can now substitute for "the hand that rocks the cradle."

These materials, handy in every home, form a new "rubber band cradle" announced at the National Bureau of Standards by Lawrence A. Wood and Norman Blockschil. Rubber engines have been known before, but they could only swing a pendulum. The new one rocks an inverted pendulum, operating on the principle of the cradle rocking horse and the rocking chair.

The pendulum is a vertical rod, weighted at the top, pivoted to rock

to and fro. Attached to its bottom is rubber band, a few inches long, hitched to the floor or other base. The band is loose enough so that the tip of the rocker arm tips to one side until the stretching rubber stops it.

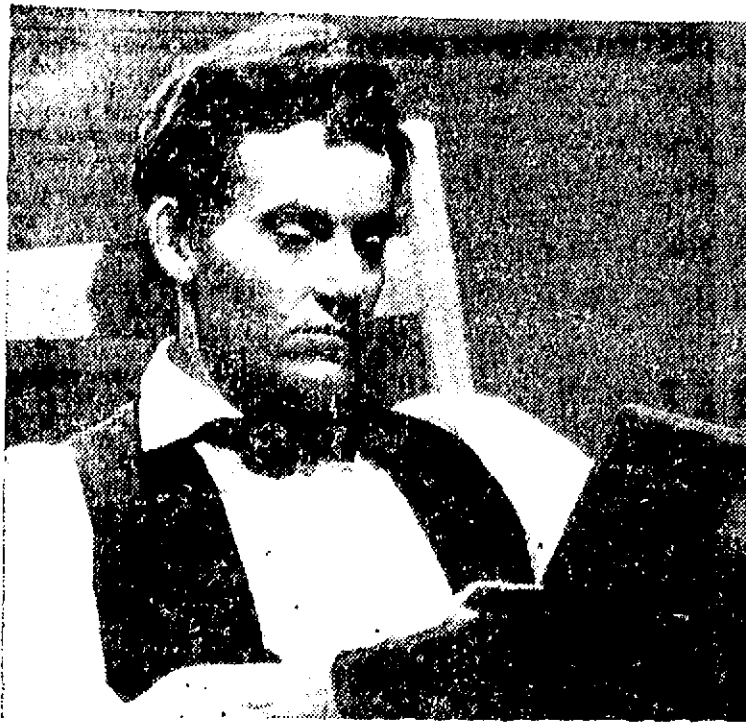
There the machine stands motionless. But set the "bathroom" heater in front of the rubber and it contracts from the heat. This pulls on the bottom of the rocking arm and straightens it.

Now comes the trick. A long, narrow vertical shield is set between heater and pendulum to cut off the rays when the pendulum and rubber are in a vertical line. Instantly, in the cooler shade, the rubber relaxes. The rocker arm tips again pulling the rubber out into the heating zone, where it again contracts.

One rock every three seconds is possible and a pair of hands often lasts several weeks working eight hours a day.

The rocking band actually improves on the music of other birds and is more melodious than the nightingale. It has a greater variety of notes, and the gift to musical composition.

## Starts at Saenger Thursday



Henry Fonda as "Young Mr. Lincoln"

## Another Baseball-Wide Mr. Mack Can Step in If Connie Ever Quits

BY RAY BLOSSER  
AP Feature Service Writer  
For years they have wondered when baseball's "grand old man"—Connie Mack—would retire from managing the Philadelphia Athletics.

Usually the answer is: Not until he develops another pennant winner. When he does lay down his famous wiggling score card to bring a choke to many a baseball throat, his boy Earle probably will take over the club Connie has directed since the American League started in 1901.

Already Earle is piloting the A's while his famous dad recovers from a serious illness. Already he takes off Connie's 76-year-old shoulders many of the managing duties, while still another son, Roy, does on the business

end. Earle Mack is 48, and running a ball club is nothing new to him. He looked in with the Athletics 16 years ago as a coach. In younger days Earle played first base and caught occasionally.

Before the World War the tall, bronzed assistant manager of the Athletics was pilot at Raleigh's three years and another year at Charlotte. After the war he was manager at Mobile, Ill., and Martinsburg, W. Va.

With this diamond background, plus the knowledge derived from long experience with his master strategist father, Earle Mack knows baseball. But he thinks that keeping step with his father as an owner is about like trying to trade a bush league for Joe DiMaggio or Bob Feller.

### Gives Pep Talks

"Dad gives the players wonderful talks," he says.

"When he became sick this summer I decided not to hold any meetings. I didn't think I could talk to the players like Dad can, and I thought these meetings would be dull without him. But they insisted on them."

That is why Earle presides at the Athletics' 10:15 a.m. pep sessions. They talk over the opposing team's lineup. The Athletics' pitcher for that day—no kidding, they have a few—will tell what he's going to throw each batter. The fielders will know where the balls will be hit, if all is up to schedule, and so on.

"You will seldom find our outfielders running very far for a ball," Earle says. "They may hit them over their heads or in a line drive in front of them, but seldom are they out of position."

"Even though the Athletics are pretty well down in the standings, they are always scrapping."

"Give us a shortstop and a third baseman who can hit a little better than the ones we have now, and a couple of pitchers like Johnny Marcum, Mel Harder or Johnny Allen and we'll be up there ahead of any of them—except the Yankees."

"I like this ball club. They are always fighting. With a little more experience, they're going to go somewhere."

**Wonderful Memory**  
Inevitably Earle is pleasant, a good talker and a good listener. He went to college two years, his second at Notre Dame. He carries a small, well-thumbed league schedule, and reads out his spectacles to refer to it. His memory of other players' weaknesses is excellent.

Earle likes to talk about the Athletics' most recent World Series triumph. And seems to be thinking at the same time of these to come.

In non-baseball hours, you will find him wearing a brown suit, two-toned sports shoes and the conventional sailor straw hat.

Take his dad. Earle waves his second card at players from the dugout.

But there is a difference. The card does double duty for Connie—attracts players' attention, gives them signals Earle uses it only to attract their eyes.

ETOWAH, Tenn.—(AP)—Five years ago Mrs. B. C. Brackett of the Coalhill community lost a highly-prized pig. She had won it in a county-wide contest of the Girls' auxiliary of the Baptist church. She was slicing potatoes from her garden recently. One fell the pin when she halved one of the "spuds."

## STAMP NEWS

ISSUANCE of a special 3-cent stamp honoring the U. S. Merchant Marine, is under consideration by postal authorities. The stamp would mark the launching, on Aug. 21, of the S. S. America, largest ocean liner ever constructed in United States.

Numerous requests have been made to the Postoffice Department for the special issue by persons who feel that the return of America to an important position among the leading maritime nations should be recognized.

Two designs for the stamp have been suggested. One would depict the "Savannah," first American steamship to cross the Atlantic; the other would show the "America."

A limited number of round-the-world flight covers, carried on the first Clipper flight over the southern route, made the globe-circling flight in 25 days. The covers were dispatched from Marseille to Hongkong, via Imperial Airways, and across the Pacific by Clipper.

The cigar industry is honored on three values of the new Cuban series to be released July 15. The 1-centavo stamp shows a native smoking a cigar; the 2-centavos, a cigar encircled by a wreath imposed on a globe; and the 5-centavos, tobacco growing and a box of cigars.

Cuba will also issue, on Sept. 4, seven airmails honoring aviators who were killed at Cali, Colombia.

New issues: France, Battle of Verdun commemorative; Greece, Balkan Games, three values for release in fall; Japan, golden pavilion in Kyoto; Panama, cancer campaign issue of four, showing portraits of the Curies.

## IN NEW YORK

BY GEORGE ROSS

NEW YORK—At random, the queen of all stage mothers still is Milton Berle's mean, who laughs heartily at all his jokes whether they are good or bad. Other ever present of the mothers are those of Clifton Webb and Ginger Rogers.

There are times when Prometheus the bronze statue in the Rockefeller Plaza looks as though he wishes they would turn off that drenching shower. The fountain bears down upon him with terrific pressure and the poor fellow is inundated.

Try and get a seat—or even a ride—on a bus top on a hot summer night. Just try. The loveswains cop them first and ride out from Greenwich Village to Washington Heights.

Harry Carve was in town the other day. There was the cinematic idol of the correspondents' knee-pops days. An outdoor man who could face a double-barrel shotgun nozzle or a precarious cliff's edge without so much as batting an eyelash.

Raymond Massey is the most copy bridegroom to find himself on the front pages in a long time. It is no secret that he was recently married. Yet it requires the most persistent sort of reporter to persuade him to admit it. Probably the dignity of playing Abe Lincoln has borne down earnestly upon him.

Manhattan's latest diversion is luxurious maritime. A number of speed boats now set out from here to the Fair grounds and New York's Thruway discovered that it is a thrilling hour's trip by water.

Who said that Coney Island would suffer from financial malnutrition when the Fair opened? The visitors are just as anxious to see the masses playground as they are to see Mr. Whalen's rich fantasy on Flushing Meadows.

Whatever became of book salesmen who used to invade executives' offices and solicit the welfare of their intellects? Or doesn't anyone read any more?

If you want to spy on Katherine Cornell on any afternoon other than matinee days, try to peep over the fence of her Bookham place garden where the lady pays devoted attention to lily hyacinths and the petunias.

Nowadays there aren't many real-life newspapermen such as Hecht & McArthur depicted in "The Front Page."

For all his playboy antics Gene Fowler is one of the hardest working of the writing craft. And he needs solitude for his literary efforts. This year he journeyed to the Fiji Islands to complete a book—and completed it. Now he has settled down in a hermitage on Fire Island to write another one.

Dick Watts is the dramatic critic

## Buddy and Mary Are Back



Buddy Rogers and his wife, who ruled the American movie scene for many years as Mary Pickford, "America's Sweetheart," gazed quizzically at one another as they returned on the Normandie from a long European jaunt.

## THE PAYOFF

As Ray Blades, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals points out, it would be a great race in the National if the Reds and Phillies were out of the league. Blades not only keeps the opposition in the air about his starting pitcher until the batting orders are handed the umpire, but keeps even his own choppers in doubt until the last minute. Blades says the worst fault of Catcher Don Padgett, the reformed outfielder, is that he doesn't get the ball away fast enough in throwing the bases. Branch Rickey asserts that the Red Birds are the team of the future. That is another way of saying "Wait until next year." With their best pitcher, Freddie Hutchinson back with the Detroit Tigers, the Toledo Mudhens have little hopes of escaping from the dark confines of the American association cellar. Col. John Reed Kilpatrick, president of Madison Square Garden, was one of the finest ends Yale ever cheered but his favorite sport today is hockey.

Of the 191 pitching jobs of the New York Giants thus far, 106 have been of the relief variety. The oldest paragon of the Polo Grounds can't recall when the club's hurling corps looked so wretched. Ollie Benson is only the utility second baseman of the White Sox, but that didn't keep admiring fans of South Bend from giving him an automobile. It was presented with a bronze statuette which was his reward for being named the most valuable player in the American Association last year. The Yankees played to 215,000 paying guests in nine days in the west. Henry Picard is convinced that the average 90 shooter will benefit his golf by switching to the interlocking grip. Night baseball is not the afternoon game. Pitchers keep the pill low, utilize haze or shadows and are more effective when wild. Hitters are shy, more low scores result. Bunny Austin's tennis racket is shaped like a snowshoe with three spokes protruding from the grip.

Van Lingle Mungo of Brooklyn breaking his ankle as a pinch runner is reminiscent of the afternoon that Dizzy Dean ran out to run for some one or other in the World Series of 1934. Old Diz broke up a double play with his forehead. There isn't much sense in putting in a \$200,000 arm to run. With Mungo and Whitlow Wyatt cut, the Dodgers' staff is down to seven. As a parting farewell to Mungo as the club shoved off on its western trip, his roommate, the huge catcher Babe Phelps said "How do you hold your curve, Van? I'll be in there pitching." A lot of money was represented in an outboard race in Milwaukee when Edward Hubst met Garfield A. Wood, Jr., who won. A south-

with the most insatiable curiosity about the Far East and the most tireless yen for traveling, preferably by air. As is his annual wont, he has taken off again, via Clipper, for China, to see what is going on.

There is a new dance craze coming up called "The Chamberlain." It's done with an umbrella and it won't help to cement Anglo-American affections.

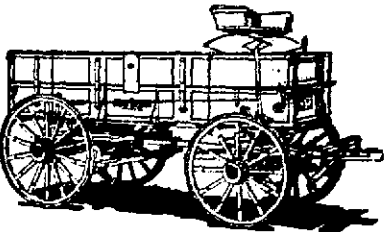
## Britain on Guard Against Dressy Saboteurs

LONDON.—(AP)—After six months' countrywide terrorism by the Irish Republican Army, officials in Whitehall's gloomy government offices have realized there's nothing to stop anyone of reasonably good appearance from leaving a bomb in one of their corridors.

Steps have been taken. Now all visitors to various department buildings must fill in a "Who-Why-What-Where-When?" ticket before being admitted and theoretically cannot leave again without it.

Not even veteran reporters who call the door attendants by their first names are exempt.

There is no such thing as racial superiority, since all races are natively equal.—Dr. E. George Payne, dean, NYU School of Education.

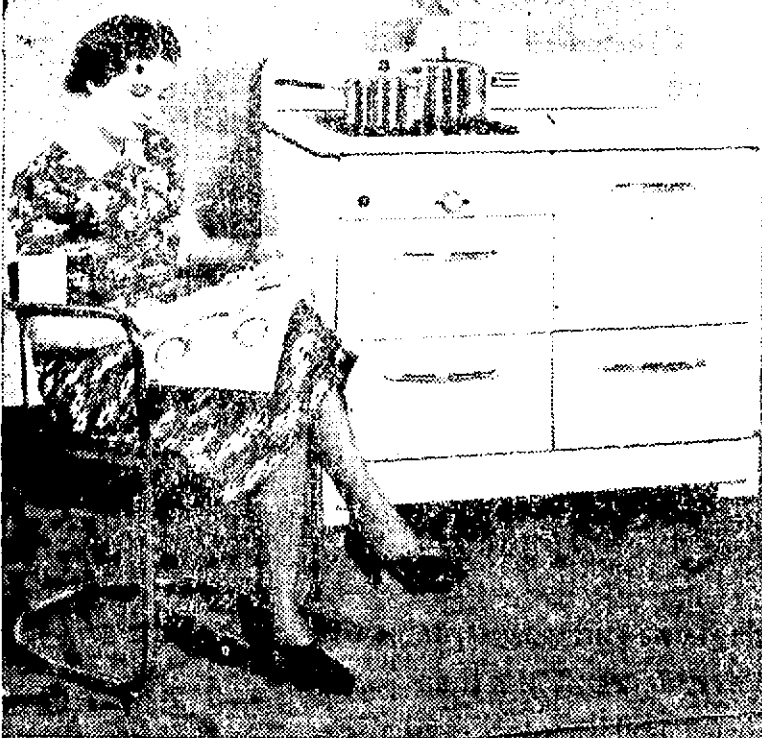
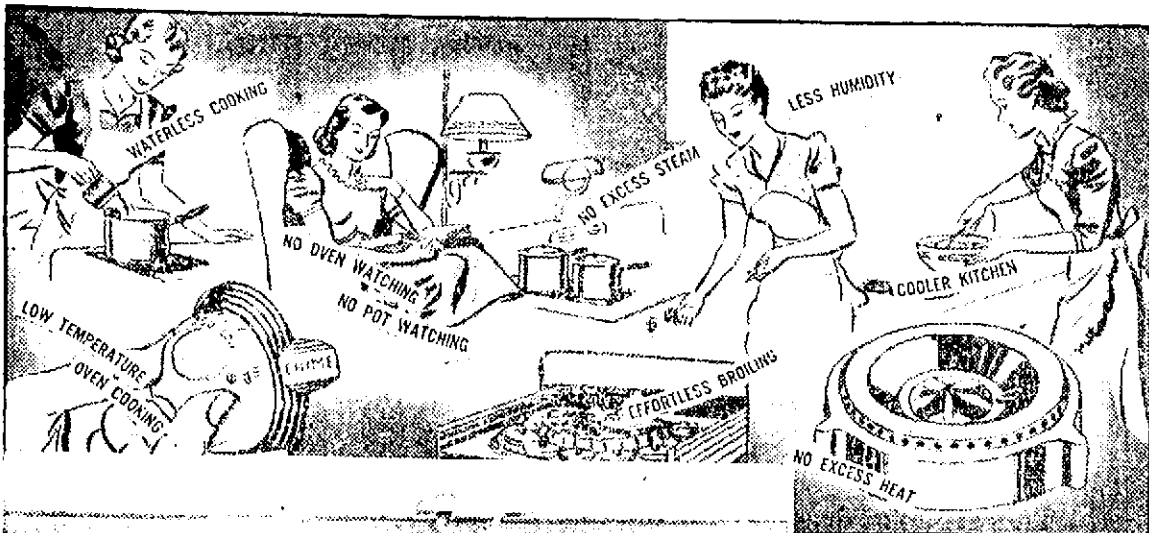


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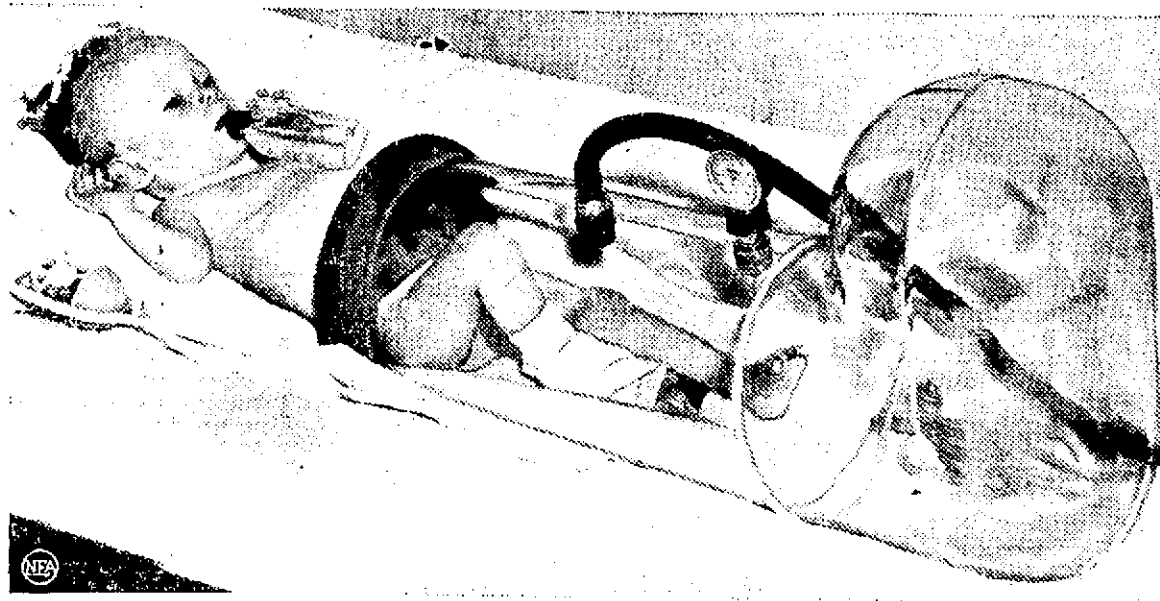
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ICC Is to Revise U.S. Freight Rates

Re-examination of the Rates May Require Several Rates

WASHINGTON, (AP)—The Interstate Commerce Commission announced Tuesday it would attempt to bring the nation's complicated freight rate structure up to date.

It ordered a general investigation of rail and water class rates, except in mountain Pacific territory and in trans-continental traffic, and calls an investigation of freight classifications by rail and water. One official indicated that he thought the investigation might require several years.

The commission said the investigation would be made with a view to prescribing such rates and classifications as may be found to be justified.

The investigation will cover the inland inter-territorial class rate structures in Northern, Southern, Southwestern and Western trunk-line territories.

Class rates apply to all shipments which do not cross under commodity rates. They apply to traffic generally called merchandise, while commodity rates apply generally to heavy, low-rated commodities such as coal.

One commission official estimated that about 50 per cent of the tonnage in Northern territory moved on class rates but that the percentage was considerably smaller in other territories. The present class rate structure frequently has been criticized. The South especially has objected to the class rates applying to shipments into the North. These inter-territorial rates are considerably higher than the rates within the North. The South contends it should have the same rates on its shipments into the North, mileage considered as apply on shipments entirely within the North.

Burman, New

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into his blood. And early in his life—at the age of seven—he tried to be a writer. But he put "the river" into the back of his mind for a while, grew up, went to Harvard, interrupted his courses to go to war, was badly wounded, returned to Harvard, entered newspaper work. He began as a reporter on the Bos-

ton Herald, went to the Cincinnati Times-Star as assistant city editor. Later he wrote special articles for the old New York World, for NEA Service, book reviews for the Nation, poetry for the Century Magazine. Meanwhile Ben had remembered "the river" once more. He began to write about the fascinating people on America's water ways. But—no body was interested. "The river is dead," editors told him. So Ben kept himself alive writing lurid detective stories, based on his newspaper experiences. And he kept taking his river stories around to the editors.

Then, one day an editor broke down and bought "Minstrels of the Mist," a short story. Publisher, it aroused a wave of enthusiasm. O'Brien reprinted it in his "Best Short Stories." The editors discovered that American's liked the river and like Burman's stories about it.

His novel "Mississippi" went into covers. It was followed by "Steamboat Round the Bend," which became Will Rogers' most profitable picture. Ben Burman was made "The second Mark Twain," they called him, now.

"Newspaper Man and a poet," "A novelist," says Ben, "is a combination of a newspaperman and a poet. It holds for most novelists, it is too narrow for Ben. In his own case he should add, 'steamboat pilot, amateur preacher, faith healer, wandering minstrel, student of folklore, deckhand and man with an ear for English as she's spoke.' For Ben is all of those things, and a little more.

He wanders up and down the river, eating, talking, singing, sleeping with the shantyboat people, with the roustabouts, with the riverboatmen. Sometimes he goes as crew on a steamboat, sometimes he works as cub-pilot. Sometimes he wanders with a mandolin or harmonica among the half-wild people who inhabit America's rivers and bayous. Sometimes he gives out "medicine" in exchange for a story, sometimes he says a few words at a "meeting."

But always he has his ears and eyes open for a good story, for a bit of character, for a song, for a strange superstition. No clue is too small for him to follow, no men too mean for him to mingle with. One person passes him along to another and all open up to him.

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Carl Estes

30 Years in Sky

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With large carrying capacity, make the military airplane a weapon of great strategic value and the air force a vital part of our national defense team.

War Furthered Research At the time of General Pershing's punitive expedition into Mexico in 1916, our first and only aero squadron consisted of eight primitive and extremely low-powered planes. Their propellers warped in the Mexican sun, they could not attain sufficient altitude to fly over the mountains of Mexico, and their cruising range was woefully inadequate.

At our entrance into the World War, the airplane had not made a place for itself as an important weapon in our army, notwithstanding the fact that Germany entered the struggle with about 1000 planes, England with 250, and France with approximately 300.

During the war, however, we managed to inaugurate a program for the procurement of airplanes and engines which, although slow in starting, resulted in a greater air strength immediately following the World War than any period since that time.

After the war, we continued our experimental work and, even with the limited funds available, continued to lead the way in the development of planes with high speeds, great cruising radius, and large load capacity.

With the augmentation program recently authorized by Congress—a program which provides for a force of 5500 planes, the greatest number ever possessed by the army—we may be assured of an air force sufficiently strong and properly equipped to care for the army's needs in the defense of the nation.

Development of the air arm as an important and integral part of our national defense team was aptly foretold by General Allen, then chief signal officer, when he made this report in 1910:

"The advent of aerial navigation has, in fact, extended the vulnerable area of a country to every acre of its territory."

Keys to Security: Panama and Hawaii Paramount in our scheme of national defense is the well-recognized fact that our national security hinges upon defense of the Panama Canal and the Pearl Harbor navy base in Hawaii.

Alaska, too, is a vital spot; however, from a strategic standpoint, it is not so critical a point as is the Canal Zone, key to absolute freedom of access of the United States fleet to either the Pacific or the Atlantic oceans.

The airplane has modified the strategic concept of the army's mission in assuring a adequate national defense. We must now look many miles beyond our shore and our frontiers. That is the impelling motive which gave impetus to the present augmentation program for the air corps and the increased efforts towards anti-aircraft protection within our country and its possessions.

The program, when completed, will provide new squadrons of planes considered necessary for Panama, Puerto Rico, Alaska, and a considerable increase for the GHQ air force in continental United States.

In the program, we recognize that the air force, like the navy, is an M-Day force. Its strategic importance lies in its ability to strike quickly on the opening of any hostile threat to our shores or frontiers. It is necessary to have available, at all times, sufficient and well-located bases from which to operate.

These bases do not connote a casual and transitory resting place. They must be secured by the presence of ground forces with sufficient strength to repel hostile attacks from the ground, the air, and the sea. To gain this security requires an elaborate ground setup which must include not only anti-aircraft artillery with its complete artillery with its complete warning net covering hundreds of miles, but also swift-moving infantry, light artillery, cavalry, and other ground units which can repel minor raids or major attacks seeking to disrupt our air base activities. Then, too, there must be adequate facilities for repair and servicing of the planes.

NEXT: The U. S. looks to the future with an aviation training program.

The Tide Run Out LONDON, (AP)—Police looking through the effects of a 17-year-old boy, drowned in a canoe in the Thames river, found this entry in his diary: "Left about eight o'clock for Australia. Tide going the wrong way."

The Two people, natives of Uganda, Africa, have chieftains embellished with hair collected from the heads of their dead ancestors, stuck together with blood and decorated with feathers.

By NEA Service How an anti-New Deal Texas Democrat and a Pennsylvania oil man teamed to "resurrect" the Republican party is revealed in a Fortune Magazine survey of the factors behind the G. O. P. resurgence.

They are Joseph N. Pew, Jr. of Philadelphia, vice president of the Sun Oil Co., a lifelong Republican, and Col. Carl Lewis Estes of Longview, Tex., publisher of a string of small-town newspapers, who also owns oil wells in the East Texas fields.

The resurgence of a party consigned to the grave in 1928, yet which won 11 Senate seats, 169 House seats, 18 governorships, and control of both houses in 12 state legislatures, is common knowledge but some of the forces back of the "resurrection" are less familiar.

Goes into Action Few, at violent odds with the New Deal since NRA Petroleum Code days turned for assistance to the Republican party offices in Washington and Philadelphia, the found a party and began to work in both places. He decided to do something about it by means of a million dollars of his own and his relatives. He bought two farm papers at wide circulation, but mostly he worked among business men.

In Colonel Estes, who had been conducting a one-man purge of radicals within the Democratic party, Pew found a kindred spirit. Under assumed names Pew and Estes journeyed about, campaigning in Georgia, Iowa, and Missouri, where they seemed a chance to beat a New Dealer.

But it was in Pennsylvania that the duo got in their best heels. Pew ran Arthur James for governor, and Estes, operating under the pseudonym of Colonel English, became their one-man brain trust. James carried Pennsylvania by 200,000.

With a dozen associates of like views, they are grooming James for the 1940 presidential race, claiming that they hope to put him in a bargaining position where he can guarantee a resolute anti-Roosevelt candidate.

Studied the British The Republican national committee headquarters at Washington is already spending \$200,000 a month, with an expendable organization that can probably reach \$1,000,000 a month when the actual campaign is on.

One of Chairman John Daniel Miller Hamilton's less-known activities was a trip to England in 1937 where he studied the tactics of the British conservative party, which, though 16 years out of power, managed to maintain a tight and effective opposition organization. Hamilton returned to write a ponderous report, and some of the Republican activities today are based on what he learned of British minority party tactics.

The research division headed by Glen Saxton, Yale professor of business administration, is an example. Eight fact-diggers keep congressmen and the publicity bureau, headed by Franklin W. Hamilton, supplied with plenty of ammunition at all times. Waltham, has weekly conferences with the effective Representative Joe Martin, minority leader, and Hamilton convenes each week a meeting of eight or 10 congressional leaders with his "brain trust" to discuss intelligent tactics against New Deal legislation.

The party is well fixed financially, reducing its debt, with funds received from 86,000 contributors last year. A strenuous effort is also being made to define Republican party policy in simple and distinctive terms. Dr. Glenn Frank's Program Committee is still working, at a cost of \$2000 a month, to gather basic material out of which the next party convention can frame a platform.

Thus the resurgence of the Republican party is not entirely an accident, nor a spontaneous popular reaction. There has been, and there is, a more intelligent and concerted effort being poured into the resurrection than most people have suspected.

At the Saenger Working on the principle that a healthy dose of laughter is the best prescription for a worried world, "The Kid From Kokomo," the new Warner Bros. production which will show at the Saenger Theater Wednesday, is comedy from start to finish. A fulsome guarantee that this is so can be had from scanning the list of players and the rules which they play.

Fat O'Brien, a tight manager and the type of lovable crook that frequently doublecrosses himself, Joan Blondell is his sweetheart, an ex-bubble dancer whose bubble has burst, and their white hope is Wayne Morris, a husky young blacksmith whom they decide to groom for heavyweight champion. Morris however, has a one-track mind, which is set on finding the mother who left him on a handy doorstep when he was an infant. To keep him happy, they find him a "mother" in the person of a sudden old kleptomaniac, a role that is played to perfection by May Robson.

Other contributors to the fun are Maxine Rosenberg as the heavy-weight champ, Jane Wyman as the curvaceous blonde with whom Wayne falls in love, Stanley Fields, Sidney Toler, Ed Brophy and a score of others, playing shady characters with emphasis decidedly on the comic side.

But the "Kid From Kokomo" turns the tables on them all by turning out to be a real champ, and foiling all their efforts to have him lose fights when they bet against him. He not only wins the world heavyweight championship but his girl and his Mama, and all ends well.

Maybe He'd Better Lock It Up LARAMIE, Wyo., (AP)—Kenneth Emerson is thinking of leaving his car in a garage for a few days, until his luck changes. In a two-day period, because of accidents in which he was involved, he had to buy three new fenders. Then someone stole a tire and wheel from his car. There was double trouble in one of the accidents. Emerson counted with a police patrol car.



Joseph N. Pew

One Explanation of Tough Chicken

BOSTON, (AP)—"Jailbird poultry"—chickens locked in wire cages on the lawn of Deer Island House of Correction—are more tender than hardy farmers' chickens, says a poultry expert, because they get less exercise.

Henry F. Drewes, veteran poultry expert in charge of a prison project under which eggs and broilers are provided for city and county wards, says the chicken "cell-block" also saves space and allows complete control over every bird.

Turkey "convicts" now being fattened for Thanksgiving are slated to become "trustees." A big outdoor shed is being built for them.

STANDINGS

Hope Softball League

Class A League			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Bruiser-Ivory	0	0	.000
Leo Robins	0	0	.000

Class B League			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Soil Erosion	2	0	1.000
Geo. W. Robison	2	1	.750
American Legion	1	1	.500
Gunter Bros.	0	2	.000
Bruiser-Ivory	1	2	.333
Unique Cafe	0	0	.000

Friday's Results

No games played, wet grounds.

Games Tuesday Night

Bruiser-Ivory vs. East Federal Home of Texarkana.

Leo Robins vs. East Federal Home of Texarkana.

Games Wednesday Night

No games scheduled.

Games Thursday Night

Soil Erosion vs. Geo. Robison.

Bruiser-Ivory B vs. Gunter Bros.

Games Friday Night

Bruiser Ivory A vs. Texarkana.

Southern Association

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Memphis	61	42	.592
Atlanta	55	48	.531
Nashville	51	45	.529
Chattanooga	53	50	.515
Knoxville	52	53	.495
Little Rock	45	54	.455
Birmingham	47	57	.452
New Orleans	46	61	.430

Tuesday's Results

Birmingham 5, Atlanta 4.

Memphis 10-9, Knoxville 3-7.

New Orleans 8, Chattanooga 7.

Little Rock 7, Nashville 3.

Games Wednesday

Little Rock at Nashville.

Birmingham at Atlanta.

Memphis at Knoxville.

New Orleans at Chattanooga.

National League

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	60	61	.559
St. Louis	49	52	.538
Chicago	50	45	.526
Pittsburgh	46	43	.517
Brooklyn	45	45	.500
New York	46	46	.495
Boston	42	49	.462
Philadelphia	26	62	.295

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Defeat of Lending

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not have their production increased as planned, he said, and a large number of relief clients who would have got jobs would have to remain on relief. This, he said, would cost the taxpayers a good many hundred millions of dollars.

Mr. Roosevelt had asked \$3,000,000,000 for loans which he said would aid industry and employment. Administration men said the proceeds would be self-liquidating and would not increase the national debt. Critics disputed this and called the plan dangerous to the federal finances, and an undesirable grant of tremendous power to the executive.

The House action came after Rayburn had made an appeal to his Democratic colleagues, saying that when the president recommended a program "it is asking little of the House to consider it. The voice rising higher and higher, he said that to obtain recovery it is necessary that "labor be employed and capital active, on the farm, in the mine and in the counting house."

Two Virginians—Representatives Woodrum and Robertson—both assailed the measure. Woodrum said it proposed a "revolutionary departure" from the government's method of appropriating money.

Robertson declared that he believed the proposition came from a British economist, John Maynard Keynes, who was "unable to sell his own country on the theory of spending for recovery" and so came to America and "sold" Marriner S. Eccles, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board.

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Youth Funds for Education Okehed

27 1/2 Million Is Appropriated for the Coming School Year

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Administration Secretary A. B. Williams announced Wednesday the approval of \$27,465,319 in National Youth Administration allocations for the next school year.

The money would provide part-time jobs for more than 450,000 needy students, he said.

Allotments included: Arkansas \$218,135 for school aid; \$122,310 for college and graduate aid.

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McCaskill

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Gentry visit, at their parents Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Gentry last week.

Mrs. Graydon Anthony and daughter Bonnie Marie returned Friday from a weeks visit in Texas.

Miss Louise Eley and Lela Rhodes left Monday for the annual 4-H Club camp in Fayetteville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thomas and children of Ottawa, Kansas are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Jean Shuffield spent last week end with Nell Bostick in Blevins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Moses of Benton spent the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moses.

Mr. George Hood spent last week visiting relatives in Eldorado.

Miss Velma Lee Hamilton spent part of last week visiting friends in Dermott, Arkadelphia and Prescott.

Mrs. Chester McCaskill and daughter Janelle spent the past week-end visiting her brother Owen Stephens in Little Rock.

Mrs. Marie Russell of Ottawa, Kansas is here for a visit with her mother Mrs. Wallace Sulpepper.

Miss Linda Cobb of Hope was the guest of Iris Hampton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott, Jr. will leave Thursday for a three week's tour of the New York World Fair.

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